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Introduction

This report has been prepared in accordance with the conditions of approval (CoA) for the 'Cotter Dam Expansion – Paddy's River Road, ACT – EPBC 2008/4524'.

Under CoA 2(e), Icon Water is to "provide an annual report, detailing how environmental flows downstream of the Cotter Dam have been released in accordance with the advice of the Environmental Flows Technical Advisory Group (EFTAG) established by the ACT Environment Protection Authority." The reporting period is the calendar year 2015.

EFTAG Recommendations

During 2015 the EFTAG did not provide any recommendations regarding the provision or management of environmental flows below the Cotter Dam.

Environmental Flow Releases downstream of the Cotter Dam

Icon Water continues to work closely with the ACT Environment Protection (now part of Access Canberra), regarding environmental flow management of the ACT water catchments

Reports outlining the volume and timing of environmental flows released from Cotter Dam are available on Icon Water's public website at <http://www.iconwater.com.au/Sustainability-and-Environment/Environmental-compliance/Operational%20compliance%20reports.aspx>

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